

**MARITIME POLICY**

*Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries:* Subcommittee on Merchant Marine resumed oversight hearings on maritime policy with testimony from a representative of the National Maritime Council.

Hearings continue Wednesday, July 28.

**AMERICANS MISSING IN SOUTHEAST ASIA**

*Select Committee on Missing Persons in Southeast Asia:* Held a hearing on Department of State efforts to gain an accounting for Americans missing in Southeast Asia. Testimony was heard from Under Secretary of State Philip Habib.

**PROBLEMS FACING PROFESSIONAL SPORTS**

*Select Committee on Professional Sports:* Began hearings on problems facing professional sports and Federal laws under which they operate. Testimony was heard from Commissioner of Baseball Bowie Kuhn; a panel representing baseball owners: Charles O. Finley, Oakland; Allan R. Selig, Milwaukee; John W. Galbreath, Pittsburgh; and Robert L. Howsam, Cincinnati; Football Commissioner Pete Rozelle; Joseph Robbie, Miami Dolphins; and William H. Sullivan, Jr., New England Patriots.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

**STATE CASH-OUT STATUS UNDER SSI PROGRAM**

*Committee on Rules:* Granted a closed rule providing one hour of general debate, providing that no amendment shall be in order except amendments recommended by the Committee on Ways and Means and the text of H.R. 14764 as a substitute, and said amendment shall not be subject to amendment, on H.R. 14514, to permit a State which no longer qualifies for hold-harmless treatment under the supplemental security income program to elect to remain a food stamp cashout State upon condition that it pass through a part of the 1976 cost-of-living increase in supplemental security income benefits and all of any subsequent increases in such benefits. Testimony was heard from Representatives Corman and Ketchum.

**FEDERAL COUNCIL ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**

*Committee on Science and Technology:* Subcommittee on DISPA continued hearings on the role of the Federal Council on Science and Technology. Testimony was heard from Dr. W. Henry Lambright, Director, Science and Technology Policy Center, Syracuse University; and Dr. Bruce L. R. Smith, Professor of Political Science, Columbia University.

Hearings continue Friday, July 23.

**URBAN MASS TRANSPORTATION ADMINISTRATION**

*Committee on Science and Technology:* Subcommittee on Aviation and Transportation R & D continued oversight hearings on the Urban Mass Transportation Administration. Testimony was heard from John Hoban, Deputy Director, Port Authority for New York and New Jersey; and J. J. Welch, Sr. Vice President, Vought Corporation.

**SBA PROGRAMS**

*Committee on Small Business:* Subcommittee on SBA Oversight and Minority Enterprise continued hearings on SBIC and SBLC programs and selected SBA activities. Testimony was heard from John O. Flender, M.I.T. Development Foundation, Inc.; William H. Tritsch, Pennsylvania Growth Investment Corp.; David Engelson, National Association of Small Business Investment Companies; and Dr. Kenneth E. Knight, University of Texas.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

**INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE REPORT LEAK**

*Committee on Standards of Official Conduct:* Continued hearings on the unauthorized publication of the report of the Select Committee on Intelligence. Testimony was heard from Representatives McClory and Kasten; Select Committee on Intelligence Counsels James Oliphant and John Boos; and Committee investigator Fred Kerschstein.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

**ESTATE AND GIFT TAX REFORM ACT**

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Continued markup of H.R. 13966, Estate and Gift Tax Reform Act of 1976, and will resume tomorrow.

**Joint Committee Meeting****COAST GUARD AUTHORIZATION**

*Conferees* agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11670, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1977 for activities of the Coast Guard.

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Thursday, July 22, 1976

**Senate****Chamber Action**

*Routine Proceedings, pages 23277-23323*

**Bills Introduced:** Four bills and two resolutions were

introduced, as follows: S. 3689-3692; S.J. Res. 207; and S. Res. 491.

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#### Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 14262, making appropriations for fiscal year 1977 for the Defense Establishment, with amendments (S. Rept. 94-1046);

S. 1681, authorizing the FDA to promulgate regulations for ingredient labeling and substantiation of safety of cosmetics, with an amendment (S. Rept. 94-1047).

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#### Bills Passed:

**SBA Loan Programs:** Senate passed without amendment and sent to the House S. 3369, increasing authorizations for loan and guarantee programs conducted by the Small Business Administration.

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**Private Bill:** Senate passed without amendment and cleared for the White House H.R. 2943, a private relief bill.

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**Messages From the House:** Senate received two messages from the House today.

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#### Amendments Submitted for Printing:

Pages 23290-23291

**Agriculture Department Dependents:** Senate disagreed to the House amendments to S. 3052, authorizing utilization of funds for orientation and language training of dependents of Agriculture Department employees who have foreign assignments, requested conference with the House and appointed as conferees Senators Talmadge, Humphrey, McGovern, Dole, and Bellmon.

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**Crime Control:** Senate began consideration of S. 2212, authorizing funds through fiscal year 1981 for programs of the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, taking action on amendments proposed thereto as follows:

##### Adopted:

(1) McClellan unprinted amendments Nos. 225, en bloc, of a technical nature, dealing with (a) court congestion grants, (b) to define the term "evaluation" in determining impact of programs, and (c) service of judicial officers;

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(2) Hathaway amendments Nos. 2049, 2050, and 2051, en bloc, dealing with Federal commitment to determine the relationship between drug abuse and crime and alcohol abuse and crime, and to design criminal justice programs to recognize such relationship;

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(3) Hruska unprinted amendment No. 226, to establish a revolving fund to support projects to acquire stolen goods in an effort to disrupt illicit commerce in stolen property (projects sting);

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(4) McClellan unprinted amendment No. 227, dealing with the role of the State legislature in modification of comprehensive state-wide law enforcement plans;

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(5) Nunn unprinted amendments Nos. 228, en bloc, giving the States certain discretionary authority in establishing judicial planning agencies;

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(6) Modified Biden unprinted amendment No. 229, calling for National Institute of Law Enforcement to study the needs of present and future correctional facilities in the nation;

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(7) Modified Javits amendment No. 231, calling for the establishment of an appropriate unit to coordinate community anti-crime programs; and

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(8) Beall unprinted amendment No. 234, designed to strengthen programs to combat crimes committed against the elderly.

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##### Rejected:

(1) By 12 yeas to 80 nays, Biden unprinted amendment No. 232, extending for 15 months, instead of 5 years, authority of the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration;

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(2) By 45 yeas to 48 nays, Biden unprinted amendment No. 233, extending for 3 years, instead of 5 years, authority of the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration (motion to reconsider tabled by 48 yeas to 43 nays).

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Pending when this bill was laid aside temporarily was Bayh amendment No. 2048, to require that 19.15 percent of Crime Control Act funds be allocated for the improvement of the juvenile justice system, on which amendment there is a 2-hour time limitation.

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**Tax Reform:** Senate continued consideration of H.R. 10612, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1976, taking action on amendments proposed thereto as follows:

Adopted: Thurmond amendment No. 2055, to permit application of earned income credit to individuals with disabled adult dependents; and

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Rejected: Kennedy amendment No. 2057, which would have disallowed as a deductible expense the excess of first-class travel fare over coach fare. (Tabled by 53 yeas to 34 nays).

Pages 23379-23389

Pages 23358-23365, 23373

**Veto Sustained—Military Construction Authorizations:** Senate considered Presidential veto message on H.R. 12384, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1977 for certain construction at military installations, and, by 51 yeas to 42 nays, two-thirds of the Senators present and voting not having voted in the affirmative, failed to override Presidential veto of this bill.

Pages 23365-23373



**Presidential Message:** Senate received a message from the President transmitting a proposed agenda of legislative proposals which he recommends that the Congress enact prior to the sine die adjournment of this Congress—ordered to lie on the table.

Pages 23389, 23508

**Presidential Communication:** Senate received a communication from the President transmitting proposed amendments to the fiscal year 1977 budget in the amount of \$2,513,975 for the legislative branch—referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered printed as S. Doc. 94-238.

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**Nominations:** Senate received the following nominations:

Donald G. Brotzman, to be United States district judge for the District of Colorado;

Thaddeus A. Garrett, Jr., of Ohio, to be member of the Consumer Product Safety Commission;

The following-named persons to be members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting: Charles H. Crutchfield, of North Carolina; Clyde M. Reed, of Kansas; Charles W. Roll, Jr., of New Jersey; Leslie N. Shaw, of California; and Paul M. Stevens, of Texas; and

Sundry nominations in the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps.

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**Record Votes:** Five record votes were taken today (total—407).

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**Adjournment:** Senate met at 9:30 a.m. and adjourned at 6:58 p.m.

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## Committee Meetings

### AIR CARRIER RATE CHANGES

**Committee on Commerce:** Aviation Subcommittee concluded hearings on H.R. 7017 to require the Civil Aeronautics Board to issue its decision on requested fare changes at least 15 days prior to the effective date of such change, after receiving testimony from John E. Robson, Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board; Edward J. Driscoll, National Air Carriers Association, Inc.; James W. Woodward, the Reuben H. Donnelly Corporation; Richard A. Nelson, North American Edition of the Official Airline Guide; James A. Miller, American Society of Travel Agents; Louis P. Haffer, Air Freight Forwarders Association; Leo Seybold, Air Transport Association; John de Lorenzi, American Automobile Association; and W. R. Brown, all of Washington, D.C.

### TAX REFORM

**Committee on Finance:** Committee continued hearings on certain portions of the proposed Tax Reform Act

of 1976 (H.R. 10612—currently under consideration by the Senate), receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

Committee will hold a business meeting tomorrow to consider provisions of the proposed Tax Reform Act discussed in hearings held this week.

### COMMITTEE BUSINESS

**Committee on Foreign Relations:** Subcommittee on Multinational Corporations held a closed business meeting, made no announcements and recessed subject to call.

### ERDA OVERSIGHT

**Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs:** Subcommittee on Energy Research and Water Resources held oversight hearings on long-range program plans of the Energy Research and Development Administration, receiving testimony from its Administrator, Dr. Robert Seamans, Jr.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 28.

### LOCKS AND DAM 26

**Committee on Public Works:** Subcommittee on Water Resources resumed hearings to consider the proposed replacement of Locks and Dam 26 at Alton, Ill., receiving testimony from Carl V. Lyon, Association of American Railroads, Washington, D.C.; Alan S. Boyd, Illinois Central Gulf Railroad, Chicago; Joseph J. Karaganis, Karaganis & Gail, Ltd., Chicago; Joseph P. Feeny, Western Railroad Association, Chicago; Joseph L. Carroll, University of Pennsylvania; Burton N. Behling, Washington, D.C.; Jerome J. Cushing, Park Ridge, Ill.; John D. Sward, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway, Chicago; Mark L. Smith, Missouri Pacific Railroad, St. Louis; Ralph E. Hallock, Allis Chalmers Manufacturing Company, Milwaukee; Otto Hund, Kansas City Terminal Warehouse, Kansas City, Mo.; Lewis T. Hardy, Hardy Salt Company, St. Louis; Thomas E. Kenney, Wisconsin Barge Line, Inc., Cassville; Robert Crawley, Sverdrup & Parcel and Associates, St. Louis; and Tom Gladders, Government-Industry River Advisory Commission, St. Louis.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

### COMMITTEE SYSTEM

**Temporary Select Committee to Study Senate Committees:** Committee continued to receive testimony on problems of fragmented committee jurisdictions and multiple committee and subcommittee assignments of Senators. Witnesses heard were Senators Morgan, Thurmond, Culver, Hathaway, Leahy, and Dole.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** 30 public bills, H.R. 14808-14837; 4 private bills, H.R. 14838-14841; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1029-1031; H. Con. Res. 682-687, and H. Res. 1417-1420, were introduced.

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**Bills Reported:** Reports were filed as follows:

Report of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce pursuant to section 302(b)(2) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1954 (H. Rept. 94-1357);

H.R. 8046, to provide that the rental value of a parsonage furnished to the surviving spouse of a minister be excluded from gross income, amended (H. Rept. 94-1358);

H.R. 10101, to exempt certain aircraft museums from Federal fuel taxes and the Federal tax on the use of civil aircraft, amended (H. Rept. 94-1359);

H.R. 10902, relating to the income tax treatment of securities which are acquired for business reasons and not as an investment, amended (H. Rept. 94-1360);

Conference report on H.R. 14234, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation for fiscal year 1977 (H. Rept. 94-1361);

Conference report on H.R. 14233, making appropriations for the Department of Housing and Urban Development for fiscal year 1977 (H. Rept. 94-1362); and

Conference report on H.R. 8800, Electric and Hybrid Vehicle Research, Development, and Demonstration Act of 1976 (H. Rept. 94-1363).

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**Public Works:** By a yea-and-nay vote of 310 yeas to 96 nays, the House voted to override the President's veto of S. 3201, to authorize a local public works capital development and investment program, to establish an anti-recessionary program (two-thirds of those present voting in favor); thereby clearing the measure.

Pages 23400-23421

**Military Construction:** By a yea-and-nay vote of 270 yeas to 131 nays, the House voted to override the President's veto of H.R. 12384, to authorize certain construction at military installations (two-thirds of those present voting in favor); clearing the measure for Senate action.

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**Late Report:** Committee on Standards of Official Conduct received permission to file a report by midnight, Saturday, July 24.

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**Public Lands:** By a yea-and-nay vote of 169 yeas to 155 nays with 2 voting "present", the House passed H.R. 13777, Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976.

By a yea-and-nay vote of 128 yeas to 198 nays with 1 voting "present", rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs with instructions to report it back forthwith containing

an amendment requiring all regulations promulgated by the Secretary be subject to the review of the Congress.

Agreed to:

A perfecting amendment which clarifies that protection of fish and wildlife resources may be a basis for special management attention;

Eleven amendments eliminating the applicability of Title II to lands within the National Forest System where other existing laws now provide statutory criteria for the activities in question;

An amendment which clarifies provisions of the bill as not modifying any existing law relating to migratory birds and endangered or threatened species;

An amendment which clarifies section 204 is a grant of authority to the Secretary to make and modify certain classes of withdrawals;

A technical amendment correcting a typographical error;

An amendment which clarifies provisions of the bill as not modifying the National Wildlife Refuge System Act of February 27, 1976;

An amendment which clarifies that fish and wildlife goals are a valid objective for exchanges;

An amendment as amended by an amendment in the nature of a substitute (substitute agreed to by a division vote of 75 yeas to 55 nays) which allows withdrawal decisions to remain effective up to 10 years. Previously, the amendment sought to have the decisions remain effective up to 15 years;

An amendment which increases the royalties and rentals of public lands to the States from 37½ per cent to 50 per cent;

A clarifying amendment to section 211 transferring from subsection (a) to subsection (c) the language regarding the two year notification requirement of the cancellation of a grazing permit or lease;

An amendment which allows BLM officials to enforce public land laws whether or not the local officials accept contracts for enforcement;

An amendment which requires Department of Interior employees acquiring land or applying for a permit, lease, or right-of-way to file a statement which is available to the public;

An amendment as amended that exempts Alaskan lands from the review of all existing withdrawals;

An amendment as amended designed to clarify language of title V regarding the authority to grant or renew rights-of-way over public land for transmission lines or generation system sites of public utilities;

An amendment which prohibits placing spent oil shale or its by products on any federal lands except those specifically leased for the recovery of shale oil; and

A perfecting amendment to clarify that the bill does not modify, revoke, or change any provision of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act.



**Rejected:**

An amendment which sought to strike the language providing for land disposal which can result from the land use planning procedures;

An amendment which sought to give Congress review and possible veto of only those land withdrawals exceeding 25,000 acres (rejected by a recorded vote of 191 ayes to 193 noes with 1 voting "present"). Earlier, this amendment was agreed to by a division vote of 16 ayes to 14 noes;

A perfecting amendment which sought to strike the provisions establishing a new grazing fee formula and to require the Secretary to establish fees at fair market value (rejected by a division vote of 14 ayes to 40 noes);

An amendment in the nature of a substitute to the previous amendment which sought to continue the present law which permits the Secretary to establish the fees and formulas (rejected by a division vote of 14 ayes to 46 noes);

An amendment which sought to strike section 213 which permits the selling or donation of wild horses or burros to private individuals or companies (rejected by a division vote of 9 ayes to 34 noes);

An amendment which sought to strike section 212 which establishes regional Grazing Advisory Boards;

An amendment which would have required that all regulations promulgated by the Secretary be subject to the review of Congress (rejected by a division vote of 20 ayes to 35 noes); and

An amendment which would have continued the present authority of the Secretary with regard to granting of land sites for electric generation systems.

An amendment was offered, but subsequently withdrawn, which sought to strike the provisions authorizing 10-year grazing leases.

Subsequently, this passage was vacated, and S. 507, a similar Senate-passed bill was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed.

Agreed to amend the title of the Senate bill.

H. Res. 1284, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 393 yeas with 3 voting "present".

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**Late Reports:** Committee on Agriculture received permission to file by midnight, Friday, July 23, a report on H.R. 14566, to enable freestone peach growers to finance a nationally coordinated research and education program to improve their competitive position and expand their markets for peaches;

Conferees received permission to file by midnight tonight conference reports on H.R. 8800, to authorize in the Energy Research and Development Administration a Federal program of research, development, and demonstration designed to promote electric vehicle technologies and to demonstrate the commercial feasibility of electric vehicles; H.R. 14233, making appro-

priations for the Department of Housing and Urban Development for fiscal year 1977; H.R. 14234, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation for fiscal year 1977.

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**Packers and Stockyards:** House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 8410, to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921, as amended; and asked a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Poage, Melcher, Bergland, Weaver, Harkin, Hightower, Bedell, Sebelius, Thone, and Symms.

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**Presidential Message—Legislative Priorities:** Received and read a message from the President urging Congressional action on certain legislative proposals now pending—referred to the Union Calendar and ordered printed (H. Doc. 94-564).

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**Calendar Wednesday:** Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of July 28.

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**Adjournment:** Adjourned at 7:21 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### FOOD STAMP ACT

*Committee on Agriculture:* Met to continue markup of Food Stamp Act but adjourned due to lack of a quorum, and will resume on Monday, July 26.

### MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Military Construction held a hearing on Picatinny Arsenal.

### NATIONAL CONSUMER COOPERATIVE BANK

*Committee on Banking, Currency and Housing:* Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance approved for full committee action H.R. 14512 amended, National Consumer Cooperative Bank Act.

### OFF-BUDGET AGENCIES

*Committee on the Budget:* Task Force on Tax Expenditures and Off-Budget Agencies continued hearings on off-budget agencies. Testimony was heard from Arthur D. Lewis, U.S. Railway Association; Timothy Greene, Student Loan Marketing Association; W. M. Harding, Governor, Farm Credit Administration; Daniel Goldberg, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; and A. Oakley Hunter, Federal National Mortgage Association.

### COMMITTEE BUSINESS

*Committee on Government Operations:* Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security met and approved for full committee action report entitled "Questionable Contract for Mobile Field Radios by Department of the Army".

## OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL IN HEW

*Committee on Government Operations:* Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations and Human Resources began but did not complete markup of legislation to establish an Office of Inspector General in the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

## COMMITTEE BUSINESS

*Committee on House Administration:* Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met on pending business.

NEW MEXICO OIL AND GAS  
LEASE—FLORIDA RIGHTS

*Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs:* Subcommittee on Mines and Mining met and approved for full committee action the following bills:

S. 2220, to authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to reinstate oil and gas lease New Mexico 18302;

H.R. 2977 amended, to authorize the Secretary of Interior to sell certain rights in the State of Florida;

H.R. 300, to authorize the Secretary of Interior to sell certain rights in the State of Florida; and

H.R. 10613, amended, to authorize the Secretary of Interior to sell certain rights in the State of Florida.

## CURRENT ECONOMIC RECOVERY

*Committee on the Budget:* Task Force on Economic projections met for round table discussion on the current economic recovery with participants Roger Brinner, Data Resources, Inc.; Leon Taub, Chase Econometrics; and Saul Humans, University of Michigan.

## PRE-TRIAL RELEASE AND DETENTION

*Committee on the District of Columbia:* Subcommittee on Judiciary met and approved for full committee action a clean bill amending the D.C. Code on pre-trial release and detention.

## SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAMS

*Committee on Education and Labor:* Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary, and Vocational Education held an oversight hearing on the school lunch programs. Testimony was heard from Representatives Holtzman and Richmond; John Damgard, USDA; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue Tuesday, July 27.

## WILDERNESS LANDS

*Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs:* Subcommittee on Public Lands held a hearing on legislation to establish wilderness areas within several National Wildlife Refuges. Testimony was heard from Representative Chappell; Departments of Interior and Agriculture; and public witnesses.

## INTERNATIONAL EXECUTIVE AGREEMENTS

*Committee on International Relations:* Subcommittee on International Security and Scientific Affairs concluded hearings on H.R. 4438, to provide for congressional review of International executive agreements which create a national commitment. Testimony was heard from Monroe Leigh, legal adviser, Department of State; Assistant Attorney General Antonin Scalia; and Prof. John Norton Moore, University of Virginia Law School.

## CONGRESS AND FOREIGN POLICY

*Committee on International Relations:* Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on Congress and foreign policy with testimony from Senators Humphrey and Javits.

## UNITED STATES-CUBA TRADE

*Committee on International Relations:* Subcommittee on International Trade and commerce held a hearing on United States-Cuba trade and trade promotion. Testimony was heard from representatives of Departments of State, Commerce, and Treasury; Business International Corporation; Alamar Associates, Inc.; and WCKT-TV Miami (NBC).

## FTC AMENDMENTS

*Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce:* Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Finance met and approved for full committee action S. 642, amended, Federal Trade Commission Amendments of 1975.

## CABLE TELEVISION REGULATION

*Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce:* Subcommittee on Communications continued oversight hearings on the regulation of cable television. Testimony was heard from Baseball Commissioner Bowie Kuhn; Don Ruck, representing National Hockey League; and John Coppedge, representing NCAA.

Hearings continue Tuesday, July 27.

## RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND RECOVERY ACT

*Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce:* Subcommittee on Transportation and Commerce continued but did not complete markup of H.R. 14496, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976, and adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

## EXCLUSIVE TERRITORIAL ARRANGEMENTS

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Met and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 6684 amended, to provide that exclusive territorial arrangements used in the distribution or sale of a trademarked soft drink product or a trademarked private label food product shall not be needed unlawful per se.



**RURAL HOUSING**

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights continued hearings on equal opportunity in housing. Testimony was heard from Kim Herman, on behalf of Rural Housing Alliance, Washington, D.C.; and Gloria Cousar, Rural Housing Consultant.

**COMPREHENSIVE OIL POLLUTION LIABILITY AND COMPENSATION ACT**

*Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries:* Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Navigation met and approved for full committee action H.R. 9294 amended, Comprehensive Oil Pollution Liability and Compensation Act of 1975.

**LABOR-MANAGEMENT PROBLEMS**

*Committee on Post Office and Civil Service:* Subcommittee on Postal Facilities, Mail, and Labor Management held a hearing on labor-management problems. Testimony was heard from Martin Simms, former Postmaster of Washington, D.C.; and representatives of U.S. Postal Service.

**PROBLEMS FACING PROFESSIONAL SPORTS**

*Select Committee on Professional Sports:* Continued hearings on problems facing professional sports and Federal laws under which they operate. Testimony was heard from Howard L. Baldwin, World Hockey Association; WHA owners William O. Dewitt, Cincinnati, and George Bolin, Houston; Clarence S. Campbell, National Hockey League; and NHL owner Edmund M. Snider, Philadelphia.

Hearings continue Wednesday, July 28.

**SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL**

*Committee on Science and Technology:* Subcommittee on the Environment and the atmosphere met and considered committee print on solid waste legislation.

**SBA PROGRAMS**

*Committee on Small Business:* Subcommittee on SBA Oversight and Minority Enterprise continued hearings on SBIC and SBLC programs and selected SBA activities. Testimony was heard from representatives of Office of Minority Business Enterprise; Gulf South Venture Corporation; CEDCO Capital Corporation; and American Association of Minority Enterprise Small Business Investment Companies.

**INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE REPORT LEAK**

*Committee on Standards of Official Conduct:* Continued hearings on the unauthorized publication of the report of the Select Committee on Intelligence. Testimony was heard from Representative Dellums; and

Select Committee on Intelligence former employees Scarle Field, Staff Director, and Robert Brauer and Stanley Bach.

Hearings continue Monday, July 26.

**HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL MISCELLANY**

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs:* Subcommittee on Hospitals met in executive session for discussion on miscellaneous hospital and medical matters.

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**Joint Committee Meetings****APPROPRIATIONS—HUD**

*Conferees* agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14233, making appropriations for the Department of Housing and Urban Development and Space, Science, and Veterans for fiscal year 1977.

**APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION**

*Conferees* agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14234, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation for fiscal year 1977.

**MARITIME PROGRAM AUTHORIZATIONS**

*Conferees* agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11481, authorizing funds through September 30, 1977, for Maritime Administration programs of the Department of Commerce.

**APPROPRIATIONS—HEW**

*Conferees* met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14232, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare for fiscal year 1977, but did not reach final agreement thereon and will meet again on Tuesday, July 27.

**D.C. GOVERNMENT AUDIT**

*Conferees* met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11009, providing an independent audit of D.C. Government finances, but did not reach final agreement thereon and recessed subject to call.

**FEDERAL ENERGY ADMINISTRATION**

*Conferees* met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 12169, extending the Federal Energy Administration until September 30, 1977, but did not reach final agreement thereon and will meet again on Monday, July 26.

## HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATIONS

*Conferees* met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 9019, authorizing funds to extend and revise health maintenance organization programs, but did not reach final agreement thereon and recessed subject to call.

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Friday, July 23, 1976

## Senate

## Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages 23601-23644*

**Bills Introduced:** Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3693-3699. Page 23606

**Bills Reported:** Reports were made as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 8800, authorizing funds for Federal programs of research, development, and demonstration designed to promote electric vehicle technologies (S. Rept. 94-1048);

H.R. 1762, a private relief bill (S. Rept. 94-1049);

S. Res. 488, waiving section 402(a) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 with respect to the consideration of H.R. 13359, to authorize loan funds for the Government of the Virgin Islands (S. Rept. 94-1050);

H.R. 1558, a private bill (S. Rept. 94-1051);

Supplemental report of Committee on Finance to accompany additional committee amendments (Long amendment No. 2082) to be proposed to H.R. 10612, tax reform bill, part II of S. Rept. 94-938. Page 23606

**Messages From the House:** Two messages were received from the House today. Pages 23605-23606

**Amendments Submitted for Printing:**

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**Notices of Committee Hearings:**

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**Crime Control:** Senate continued consideration of S. 2212, authorizing funds through fiscal year 1981 for programs of the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, agreeing to the following proposed amendments:

(1) By 61 yeas to 27 nays, Bayh amendment No. 2048, to require that 19.15 percent of the total appropriation of the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration be allocated for improvement of the juvenile justice system; Page 23644

(2) Stevens unprinted amendment No. 237, to allow at least one city in each of 21 States to apply directly for certain special emphasis discretionary grants notwithstanding regulations restricting such applications to cities of 250,000 population or above; Page 23666

(3) Durkin unprinted amendments Nos. 238, en bloc, making certain technical changes in Nunn unprinted

amendments Nos. 228, en bloc (agreed to on July 22), giving the States certain discretionary authority in establishing judicial planning agencies; and Page 23667

(4) Biden unprinted amendment No. 239, calling for State and local governments seeking funds under Part E to incorporate in their State plan minimum physical and service standards for their prisons. Page 23668

Pending when this bill was laid aside until Monday, July 26, was modified Morgan amendment No. 2060, authorizing \$10 million annually for three years to assist the States to establish antitrust enforcement facilities.

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**Tax Reform:** Senate continued consideration of H.R. 10612, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1976, taking action on amendments proposed thereto as follows:

Adopted:

(1) By unanimous vote of 82 yeas, Committee amendment No. 15, as amended, providing substitute language for title V, Tax Simplification in the Individual Income Tax (agreed to by voice vote on July 20, 1976);

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(2) By 77 yeas to 1 nay, Committee amendment No. 16, providing substitute language for title VI, Business Related Individual Income Tax Provisions (agreed to by voice vote on July 20, 1976);

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(3) By unanimous vote of 81 yeas, Committee amendment No. 17, providing substitute language for title VII, Accumulation Trusts (agreed to by voice vote on July 20, 1976);

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(4) Modified Hansen amendment No. 1873 (to title V), to include storage expenses as a part of moving expenses for those on active duty in the military acting under orders;

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(5) By unanimous vote of 76 yeas, Committee amendment No. 19, title IX, Small Business Provisions;

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(6) By unanimous vote of 74 yeas, Committee amendment No. 26, providing substitute language for title XVI, Real Estate Investment Trusts; and

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(7) By unanimous vote of 69 yeas, modified Hathaway amendment No. 2002 (to title VIII), calling for establishment of an Alcoholism Trust Fund.

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**Committee Authority To Sit:** Several committees and subcommittees were authorized to sit during sessions of the Senate on specified days next week and the following week.

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**Confirmations:** Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Robert C. Chase, of Virginia, to be a Deputy Director of the Community Services Administration; and